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COT Security Alert – Microsoft SQL Server Remote Memory Corruption Vulnerability

The Multi-State Information Sharing and Analysis Center, MS-ISAC, has issued an advisory concerning a vulnerability in Microsoft SQL Server. Successful exploitation will result in an attacker gaining the same privileges as the MS SQL Server process. The attacker could then potentially access sensitive or confidential information, install programs, view, change, or delete data, or create new accounts. There are currently no reports of active exploits in the wild. However, proof of concept code for this vulnerability has been publicly released and verified. There is no patch available at this time.

Additional information on this vulnerability, including affected versions and workarounds, can be found in the following Microsoft Security Advisory:
http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/advisory/961040.mspx

NOTICE: COT is providing this information so that you are aware of the latest security threats, vulnerabilities, software patches, etc. You should consult with your network administrator or other technical resources to ensure that the appropriate actions for these alerts are followed. If you are a network administrator and need additional information, please call the Help Desk at 502.564.7576.

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